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NEW'S MOTHER ILL FROM STRAIN OF SLAYING TRIAL

ELBERT H. GARY URGES LAWS TO PROTECT CAPITAL AND LABOR

UNIONS ONE HIGH PRICE CAUSE, HE CHARGES

British Model To Make Stage Debut Before Americans



Steel Magnate Not Entirely In Accord With Finding at Conference

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—Comprehensive laws, rather than voluntary arbitration, are necessary to absolutely protect every one against imposition on the part of capital or labor," Judge Elbert H. Gary, of the United States Steel Corporation, declared in a statement today.

Judge Gary plainly intimated he was not entirely in accord with the recommendations made yesterday by President Wilson's industrial conference for settlement of disputes between capital and labor. He was a member of the previous group that attempted to make recommendations for solution of the industrial problem.

The steel magnate referred to the present labor troubles as disputes between labor union leaders and the managers of business.

He declared "the public must know that labor unions have decreased production, added to the costs and raised the expenses of living."

"I venture the assertion that if the public is disposed to absolutely protect every one against imposition on the part of capital and labor" it should not be dependent on voluntary arbitration but should establish and administer law which will have complete jurisdiction over both groups of citizens," he said.

Would Protect All

The public could then rely upon the continuance without interruption of the enforcement of law and order, so that every individual or interest shall be protected in freedom of action or non-action. So long as there is no opposition to the statutes in force.

"The employers and the body of employees clearly recognize that it is for the pecuniary interest of both to maintain peaceful and friendly relations, and every honest minded person admits this will redound to the benefit and comfort of the general public."

"At this time I think it essential that the general public be given the opportunity to clearly understand the exact labor situation. In the United States it is not so bad as it is made to appear by some of the public speakers and writers, particularly those who are not by experience or otherwise qualified to testify or express opinions."

"There have been instituted in the past year a good many strikes and there have been in places, disorder, riot and injury to persons and property. These strikes did not represent antagonism between 'capital and labor,' so called. In most, if not all instances, they were precipitated by union labor leaders acting on their own initiative. The differences, disputes and contests have been between labor union leaders and the managers of business."

Little Serious Trouble

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FILM ACTRESS WEDS COUNT

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 30.—Mary Savage, pretty, supposedly man-hunting, vaudeville and film actress, was married Sunday at Santa Ana to Count Rene de Guignard, French war hero, after a 14-hour courtship.

No limit was placed on subscriptions.

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ARRANGE TO GIVE ROADS BACK TO OWNERS

Salt Lake and P. E. May Start Building Projects Here Anew

WITH the definite announcement from Washington that railroads are to be turned back to private control on March 1, railroad officials in Southern California have commenced making plans for breaking up united railroads into the units that existed before the government, as a war measure, took charge of the roads.

The phase of the return of the railroads to private control of greatest interest here will be the question of railroad building. When a stop was put to competitive railroad construction, plans for the Salt Lake to build to Santa Ana and plans of the Pacific Electric to build from Santa Ana through Tustin to the San Joaquin Fruit Co. property and to Irvine were interrupted.

Other railroad building projects were also stopped, one being the plan of the P. E. to build a freight line connection from Orange to the S. P. Tustin branch north of Orange.

Just how soon after March 1 steps will be taken to carry out the projects that were halted cannot be determined now.

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BEAUTY HAS CONTRACT WITH NEW YORK PRODUCER FOR BROADWAY PLAY

LONDON, Dec. 30.—Eva Balfour, an English beauty who has created a great deal of interest in England by her comeliness and cleverness, is about to depart for America to enter on a stage career there.

Miss Balfour has been a model for painters and sculptors in Europe for some time, but wishes to reach a wider field so has chosen the stage.

Her beauty of face and figure have been used so much in art works in Europe as to inspire poets to write of her.

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WOMAN, SLAYING CASE SUSPECT, IS ARRESTED

MOUNT CLEMENS, Mich., Dec. 30.—Mrs. Cecil Beatrice Lester, accused of the murder of J. Stanley Brown, was found in Kalamazoo, Mich., today. Chief of Police Allan Straight received a telephone message from Kalamazoo saying that the woman was held in custody there. She will be brought here today.

It is expected that the Salt Lake will re-open offices here and will proceed to carry forward its project for building its line into Santa Ana. Most of the right of way had been secured by the Salt Lake, condemnation proceedings were started for portions of rights of way, and actual construction in the vicinity of Whittier had been started by the Salt Lake when the government called a halt to all railroad development not necessitated by war needs.

In Santa Ana, the Southern Pacific freight and passenger depots will be re-opened to take care of Southern Pacific business.

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The "Cinderella" who lost the slipper will be able to tell the story of the murder, police believe.

Other clues found in an examination of the automobile were a blood stained feather and a strand of blonde hair.

H. C. LEACH MAY GET HAGGOOD'S OLD POST

LONDON, Dec. 30.—A dispatch to the Post from Copenhagen, today, reported that if Norman Hapgood, the American minister, does not return to Denmark, he will be succeeded by H. C. Leach, of New York, secretary of the American-Scandinavian foundation.

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STATE ROAD PROGRAM MAY BE DELAYED BY SLOW BOND SALES

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 30.—The million dollar a month program of the state highway commission, scheduled to start with the beginning of the new year, probably cannot be carried out as programmed, it became known today.

Friend W. Richardson, state treasurer, said there appeared little market for the \$12,000,000 in bonds voted for road work purposes, and that the \$3,000,000 in bonds held by the state have not been sold. If the state have to meet emergency demands for money, those \$3,000,000 in bonds must be turned into cash.

A special meeting of the advisory board will be held Monday to consider the situation.

The highway program was to have begun January 1.

PERSONS GIVING COURT SECRETS MAY BE NABBED

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—The government today determined to prosecute persons who may be responsible for "leaks" from the United States supreme court.

Announcement was made by Attorney General Palmer that evidence contained by the bureau of investigation of the justice department, on charges that important decisions have been known in Wall street before they were announced by the court will be submitted to a grand jury in the District of Columbia some time today.

The government, it was stated, has placed all the evidence in the hands of District Attorney Laskey, in Washington.

The department refused to reveal the names of persons who will be charged with having obtained secret information and using it for financial purposes.

VICTIM OF SHOOTING WILL NOT LOSE SIGHT

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 30.—Whether Mrs. Wilda Potter, who was shot while in company with a man not her husband on a Venice car Sunday afternoon, will recover, still is unknown. The bullet lodged in Miss Potter's brain after entering under her left eye. Use of the eye had been saved, it was stated today.

Captain Raymond C. Potter, formerly of Camp Custer, is being held under a charge of attempted murder, pending determination of the outcome of his wife's injuries. At the jail he declared he had been taunted with statements that he shared the love of Mrs. Potter with another.

Orin Fitzwater, who was with Mrs. Potter, is reported improved today. He is suffering from a severe scalp wound.

MRS. SUSAN DORSEY IS NEW L. A. SCHOOL HEAD

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 30.—Mrs. Susan Dorsey, vice-president of the National Educational Association and assistant superintendent of schools of Los Angeles, was selected last night to succeed Dr. Albert Shieh as superintendent of schools here. Dr. Shieh goes to New York to take charge of an Americanization campaign in one year.

It is believed now that the railroad officials in Los Angeles will endeavor to maintain a consolidated city ticket office in Los Angeles, where tickets for any of the roads can be obtained. No such consolidated ticket office is likely in the smaller cities of Southern California.

HOOVER WON'T BECOME SUBJECT OF BRITAIN

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 30.—Reports that Herbert Hoover had at one time considered becoming a British subject were set at rest by Hoover here. He pencilled the following on the back of an envelope:

"I can no candidate for the presidency. But you can deny without qualification that I have even dreamed of becoming a British subject at any time in my life."

RED ARMISTICE SIGNED

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—The proposed armistice between Estonia and the Russian Soviet government has been signed, according to a cable to the Jewish Daily Forward today from its correspondent in Copenhagen.

No limit was placed on subscrip-

BOND ISSUE REPORT IS EXPECTED IN WEEK

Newport Heights Irrigation Project May Be Under Way Quickly

A favorable report upon the proposed \$160,000 bond issue of the Newport Heights Irrigation District is expected by the first of next week from the State Irrigation Bond Commission.

With the money to be raised by the sale of the bonds, the district, comprising about 1400 acres, will put in a pumping plant and a distributing system for irrigation water.

The tract lies south of the Newport Boulevard on the mesa between the boulevard and the bay.

Several weeks ago the bonds were referred to the bond commission for its approval, without which the bonds cannot be offered for sale.

This commission is composed of the state banking commissioner, the state engineer and the state attorney general.

According to information received today, the transcript of the proceedings for the bond issue will probably reach the state engineer's office today for attachment of a certificate showing the state engineer's approval of the project. Attorney J. A. Harvey, representing the district, has also been informed that the approval of the bonds will probably reach him by the first of next week.

The bonds will then be offered for sale. It is the hope of the property owners of the district to hasten the completion of the irrigation plant so that water may be produced by it for use on their lands next summer.

EXPLOSION OF BOMBS HALTS FIRE FIGHTING

DOUGLAS, Ariz., Dec. 30.—Explosion of 250 serial bombs rendered impossible fighting of the fire which destroyed a part of the military air station here late yesterday, it was learned.

The ruling, however, was confined to the one point of jurisdiction and the supreme court did not direct that the case be tried in the federal court or that the state court of Puebla, which first directed Jenkins' imprisonment, was entirely without authority. In fact, the ruling was interpreted as meaning the state court is still competent to conduct the trial, though Jenkins may not enter a new petition for transfer of his case to the federal district court.

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BULLETINS

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—Four cars of oranges and one car of lemons were sold today. Oranges slightly lower. Averages from \$2.89 to \$7.10. Highest price, 17 boxes Unibest, \$7.15. Lemon market weak. Averages, from 68 cents to \$1.85. Weather, snow; 8 a. m., temperature, 26.

DETROIT, Dec. 30.—The Ford Motor Company will on Wednesday announce the payment of a good bonus to its 80,000 employees, it became known today. The total will run into millions. At the same time a plan will be announced for employees to become stockholders of the company.

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—W. R. King, vice-president and director of the Standard Oil Co. of New York, died here today.

GARY, Ind., Dec. 30.—Fourth division troops stationed here since October 6 will be withdrawn gradually from the city beginning January 1.

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—Six men will be arraigned here Monday in connection with the death of more than fifty persons in New York and Connecticut from wood alcohol whiskey poisoning as the result of the alleged confession of Adolphus Camarillo, wine and oil importer.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—Two American sailors, Harry V. Leonard and Harry O. Martin, who have been in jail at Mazatlan, Mexico, since November 12

CAPITAL, LABOR BANK EXPANSION LAWS NEEDED, CAMPAIGN MOST SUCCESSFUL SAYS GARY

(Continued from page one)ence, decreased production added to costs and raised the expense of living."

Judge Gary, in his only direct reference to the industrial commission's suggestions for a tribunal to arbitrate disputes and twelve regional boards to investigate labor differences, said:

"I have little to say at present concerning the plan for 'settlement of labor disputes' reported by President Wilson's conference. I shall endeavor to take time to go over it carefully before reaching a final conclusion. It is to be hoped that whatever organization shall be agreed upon it will be made up of competent, disinterested and unprejudiced men, who will secure the confidence of the entire public and that serious industrial disputes may be avoided as the result."

DRY AMERICANS ARE FLOCKING TO LAREDO

By RALPH H. TURNER
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

LAREDO, Tex., Dec. 30.—This town, whose location on the Rio Grande long since gave it international importance in American relations with Mexico, today finds that its strategic position has afforded it new possibilities of wonderful possibilities. For this is one point where Dry America may hustle across a bridge and be received into the waiting arms of Wet Mexico.

"Stop! First Chance!" is the impelling command posted over the Lepoz saloon to greet the eyes of the traveler after he has paid the toll charges on the Mexican side of the international bridge. But it is not the last chance, by any means. Nueva Laredo, the Mexican end of this Texas city, aims to provide full accommodation for parched throats from the north.

An unofficial census gives Nueva Laredo a population of 14,000. Another census, probably more accurate, credits it with thirty saloons. The appeal to sentiment is made just as urgent on the return to the American side of the border. Letters just as bold as those seen on the trivial proclamations that it is the "Last Chance," again requesting a cessation of motion. The Mexican eye also is seized, "La Ultima Oportunidad" is the warning which it receives.

Citizens Indifferent
The American citizen in Laredo so far as his own "personal liberty" is concerned, assumes an attitude of indifference toward the situation across the line. He wanders over, now and then, no explains, but this nearly always has become an old story to him and it doesn't excite him. Besides Texas has been dry for more than a year.

In the packing compartments of the railroad cars from the north—that's where the praises of Laredo and its Mexican cousin across the river, are sung to the full. Traveling salesmen, old hands in the border territory, hold their less traveled roads enthralled with the unquenchable clarion that here's not even a decent point after you pass the center of the Laredo bridge—that it's straight 5 per cent. And then—they pass to the mysteries of tequila, the Mexican national drink. And on, and on. By the time the traveler has reached Laredo, his interest has been well developed.

Men in San Antonio, whose business it is to know, declare that more persons are in Southern Texas for the winter, from the east and north, than ever before.

Ready Across Border.
Laredo, as a result, foresees a hotel register black with names. Across the border, they're ready. Beside a drink, Nueva Laredo offers a pair of gambling houses and a bull fight—a genuine Spanish bull fight with all the trimmings—nearly every Sunday.

But of course the ointment contains the inevitable fly. The business of crossing the border is easy; short-time passports are issued with little formality, but the bridge closes at 7 o'clock, the result of a quarantine order. This cramps the style of late parties, for traffic across the bridge after that hour is forbidden and Nueva Laredo is shy of hotel accommodation. Saloon proprietors know this is the only point on the border where such a ruling exists.

"Tisn't right," complained one, an American who left New Orleans for Mexico the morning of July first last. "But I'm doing my best. I'm fixin' up furnished rooms on the two floors over my place. Let 'em stay all night, I say."

"DANGER" OF PROHIBITION
COPENHAGEN, Dec. 30.—The Danish press today featured dispatches from the United States telling of deaths from "wood alcohol whiskey" poisoning there. The press generally saw in the dispatches dangers of prohibition.

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FREE HOSPITAL TREATMENT OF EX-SOLDIERS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—Any ex-service man who needs medical or surgical treatment because of illness or injury contracted in the Army or Navy, can hereafter enter an army hospital, public health service hospital, or local civilian institution or sanatorium, and have all his expenses paid by the government. Few soldiers or sailors seem to be aware of this privilege, which is theirs for the asking, and today the war department instructed the entire personnel of the office of the assistant to the secretary of war, in charge of soldier employment and welfare work, to bring this to the attention of all such men.

Lieut. Colonel Mathew C. Smith, of the general staff, and head of the bureau, has issued a bulletin for nationwide distribution, which says:

"Any discharged service man who is in need of medical treatment and feels that his illness is due to wounds or other disabilities received or aggravated while in service, should at once see the nearest army hospital or local representative of the United States public health service for an examination. Addresses may be ascertained from the postmaster. The American Red Cross representative and state or municipal health officer also are able to advise service men about their cases and should be consulted.

Should Take Papers.

"If discharge or other papers showing that the disability was existing at the time of separation from service are available, they should be taken along, as they will be helpful in making a decision in the case. However, if these papers are not available, the man should not hesitate to apply. Such an applicant will be immediately placed under treatment pending the receipt of the necessary papers.

"If there is no representative of the health service in the ex-soldier's home town and no army hospital at hand, and it is possible for him to travel, such traveling expenses, hospital expenses and wages lost while undergoing examination will be paid by the government, should it be decided that treatment is necessary.

"On the other hand, if the physical condition of the man makes it impossible for him to travel, he will be examined and treated at his home. In special cases where it is found that a change of climate will be beneficial patients will be sent to specially designated hospitals."

The American boys made a great hit with their work on Boxing Day.

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AMERICANS SAY DEMPSEY WILL BE WINNER

PETITION FOR TAX DISTRICT IS FILED

ANAHEIMERS TAKE GOOD GAME, 5 TO 3

ANAHEIM, Dec. 30.—The Anaheim baseball club won a close game from Dutch Rall's All-Stars of Los Angeles, Sunday afternoon, which was played before a large and enthusiastic crowd on the Anaheim high school grounds. The score was 3 to 3 up to the eighth inning, when the locals put two more runs across the plate through timely hitting and clever base running, and as the Ralls were unable to connect in their half of the ninth, the final score was in Anaheim's favor, 5 to 3.

The features of the game were the spectacular battery work of Beck La Franco, pitcher, and Bus Callan, catcher, for Anaheim, the latter also pounding out a nifty two bagger, also the hair-raising fielding of little Franklin, the Santa Ana streak of lightning who knocked down two sure hits by running over back of third, from short and spearing them with his bare hand, thereby saving several sure runs. Glen Callan and Salverson of Fullerton and Nick La Port of the oil fields, also Ingraham of Anaheim, were there with their heads up and played real ball.

There is possibility of testing the law under which organization is proposed before final creation of the district. So far as is known to local people, no district has ever been organized in the state under provisions of the law, which was approved March 6, 1909.

Attorney Koepsel, representing the committee, and District Attorney L. A. West, discussed with the board the legal phases of the situation, and it is possible the matter will be taken into the courts under mandamus proceedings, this being deemed the better way of getting a quick and definite decision on the legal points.

In event this decision is arrived at, the board will refuse to grant the prayer of the petitioners and mandamus action will be brought to compel the body to grant the petition.

The law was passed for the purpose of making it possible for a district to be organized upon which a tax can be levied for the care of abandoned cemeteries. The condition of the Santa Ana cemetery and its practical abandonment brought about the effort to organize the district. The law provides for a tax up to 2 mills on the dollar of assessed valuation.

LOST—Between Santa Ana and Tustin, a No. 6 rubber boot. Finders please leave at Tustin Stage Depot.

and now sporting circles are clamoring for matches between Griffiths and Johnny Basham, the British welterweight champion and between Moore and Ledoux, the French ban-

tan title holder.

Turkey dinner will be served New Year's Day at Huntington Inn, Huntington Beach. \$1.00 per plate.

H.H. REEVES SUFFERS STROKE OF PARALYSIS

H. H. Reeves of 929 French street, well known resident of Santa Ana, is in a critical condition as the result of a stroke of cerebral paralysis that came yesterday morning. Following the stroke, which occurred soon after he arose yesterday morning, Mr. Reeves gradually sank into unconsciousness, from which condition he has not recovered.

The British boxing fans, of course, can see nothing but Carpenter in view of the way he has slaughtered the best they could produce. But the American colony is just as keen for Jack's chances as are the Yankee boxers here.

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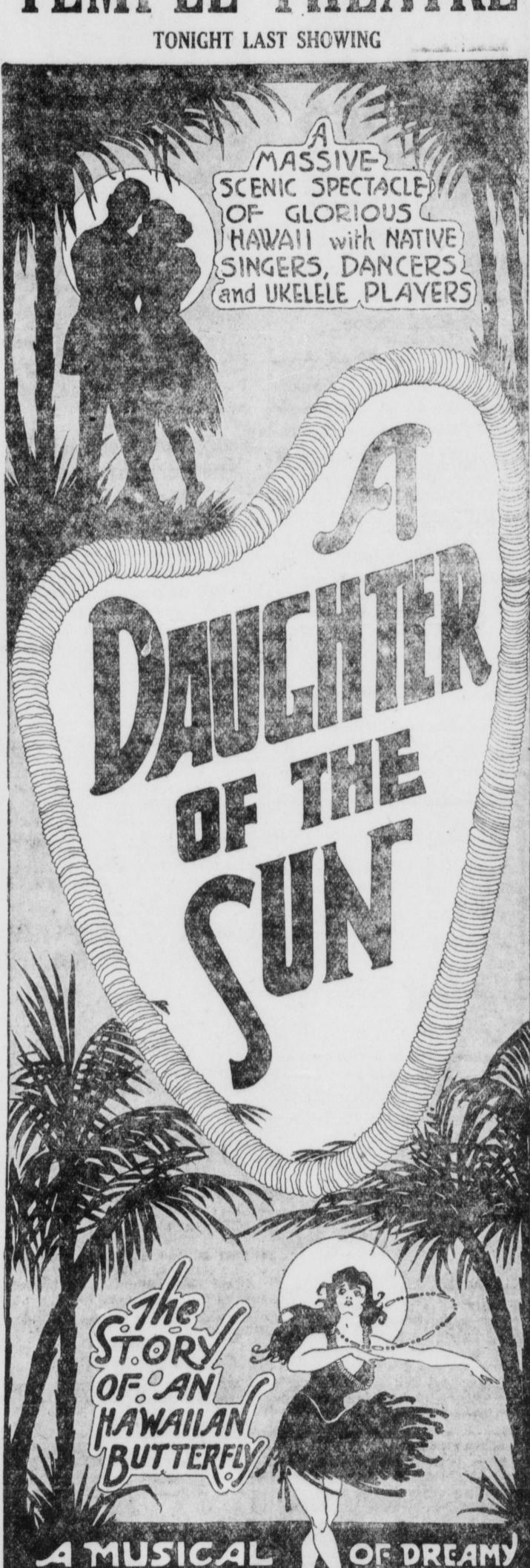
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LOSE TOOLS AS WELL NEAR FINISH

FULLERTON, Dec. 30.—With two strings of tools in one well and a bailer lost in another, the Brea Canyon Oil Company is entitled to some sympathy. At No. 31, just as the well was nearing the finishing stage, a couple of strings of tools were lost at 2700 feet. Some six hundred feet of oil sand had been pierced and the well was looking good. At No. 31, while bailing and cleaning out at 2700 feet, a bailer was lost. No. 32, a new well, will spud in and commence drilling before the end of the week.

Drilling with oil in the hole at No. 15, the Fullerton Oil Company is making some good time. With the cable tools close to 2400 feet the hole has been made in less than three months. The oil keeps the pipe from sticking and a string of casing can be carried to almost any desired depth.

The Gold Seal Petroleum Company's wildcat well in Little Brea Canyon is beginning to look considerably like an oil well. At 2800 feet this well is showing a good looking shale that is carrying lots of gas and frequent oil colors.

The Commonwealth Petroleum Company has made a location for well No. 34 at Olinda. Nos. 31 and 32 are drilling deeper in the hope of getting a better production and No. 33 is building rig.

The chances for the Olinda Land Company getting any oil in its wildcat well No. 21, are getting rather slim. The well is drilling at 4600 feet, and at this depth the formation is a very hard shale showing a few occasional traces of oil.

The West Coast Oil Company, drilling at Olinda has well No. 67 down 2500 feet and the well is ready in the oil sand. No. 72 is building rig. At No. 73 the ten-inch pipe has been set at 1750 feet and the well is standing cemented. No. 61 brought in two months ago at 275 barrels, has dropped only 25 barrels.

The Amalgamated Oil Company with the abandoning of No. 1 on the Ibbitson, now has but two wells drilling in the Richfield district. The Amalgamated's Potters No. 1 is drilling in brown shale and boulders at 1750. The digging has been hard, the progress has been a little slow during the past week.

The Clark Oil company's well No. 1 on Hugo Wetzel is down 2300 feet, and is awaiting an O. K. on the water before resumption of drilling.

Travis Cemented Again

After making some study of the water situation in the Travis well, the Fullerton Oil Company has cemented again, making the third time the well has been cemented. The Fullerton Oil Company's Anaheim Union No. 1 is drilling in a hard sand at 2900 feet and as yet has not shown any signs of oil.

Would Harmonize Action.
The function of the federal government, in addition to handling the national forests, it is suggested, would be to stimulate, guide, and co-ordinate state action and conduct necessary investigations regarding the best methods of forestry, to assist the states in the classification of land, and to harmonize action between the different states. The states would also handle public property owned by them and they would have a further direct responsibility in connection with protection and perpetuation of private forest lands.

With regard to the federal attitude toward private forestry, it is suggested that the government would work primarily through state agencies. To initiate the proposed policy, a federal law would be necessary authorizing the government to co-operate with the states in bringing about the protection and right handling of forest lands within their borders and providing means for such co-operation.

The General Petroleum is putting in tubing in Thompson No. 1 with the intention of trying out a hydraulic process for the cleaning out of the sand. This well came in with all the marks of a gusher a few weeks ago, but the sand keeps coming into the well with so much volume that it has been impossible to make the well produce much oil. Ordinarily bailing and cleaning out does not make any headway where so much sand is present. By forcing water under pressure into the hole it is believed the sand can be removed so the well can produce. Thompson No. 2 is drilling in the conglomerate at 1778. Stern No. 1 is making hole in the shale at 1500 feet. The General Petroleum's Yorba 3-1 is drilling on iron at 2972, four feet of hole being made in a week's drilling.

Heffern Still Going Deeper

The Heffern's "sand wash" well is now drilling at close to 4200 feet. At this depth the formation is shale with an occasional showing of oil. Little hope is now held for a good deep well, however a test will be made of the chances for getting a deep oil sand while the drilling is in progress. In the event that no deep oil sand is struck it is the plan now to come back up to 3300 feet and test out one of the well's best showings. Heffern No. 2 is grading for the rig and the material is on the ground for the derrick.

The deepest well now drilling at Richfield is the Petroleum Development Company's Bradford Community No. 1. This well is now down 3500 feet and is drilling in conglomerate. This is the deepest that conglomerate has been found in the Bradford Bros. No. 1 is drilling at 1850 feet, at 3434, and showing quite a good deal of oil and gas in the shale. Bradford No. 1 is drilling at 1850 feet in a hard sand. No. 3 is a location for a new well.

Eleven superior judges will be elected by Los Angeles county next year—the longest judicial ticket ever presented in the county.

Southern California state hospital, Stockton state hospital, Veterans' home, \$45-65 a month with maintenance.

Institutional positions: Cook, \$55-100 month with maintenance; dairyman, \$65-125 month with maintenance; farm hand, \$55 month with maintenance; landscape gardener, \$70-90 month with maintenance; vegetable gardener, \$60-70 month with maintenance; laundress, \$45-55 month with maintenance; laundryman, \$55-90 month with maintenance; milkman, \$55-60 month with maintenance; poultryman, \$30-75 month with maintenance; farm tractor operator, \$50-90 month with maintenance; waiter, \$30-45 month with maintenance; waitress, \$25-45 month with maintenance; electrical foreman, prevailing wage; electrician, prevailing wage; institutional electrician, \$95 a month with maintenance.

Bank clearings in 24 principal cities of the twelfth federal reserve district increased from \$1,191,986,000 in November, 1918, to \$1,626,120,000 in November, 1919.

Application blanks and further information regarding the above examinations may be secured from the state civil service commission, Forth Street, Sacramento.

EXHAUSTION OF FORESTS NOW THREATENED

Southern Cal. Dailies Forced to Raise Prices by Paper Famine, Higher Costs

By RALPH H. TURNER
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

SAN LUIS POTOSI, Mex., Dec. 30.—The Mexican of this section wants to go to work.

A disposition to resume normal agricultural activity is becoming increasingly evident, according to both Americans and Mexicans of San Luis Potosi. Different forms of evidence are offered to substantiate the belief that the farmer is gaining a renewed sense of industry—and different reasons are advanced to explain the steady influence which is said to be laying its hand on this district.

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LOSING ONE'S PLACE

A magazine tells of a little girl who "sat in her high chair at the dinner-table, turning about in her fingers a small ear of corn from which she had been nibbling a row at a time. Suddenly she burst into tears. 'I've lost my place,' she sobbed.

There is probably no American who will not be moved to chuckle over the child's predicament. It seems to hold, too, behind the laugh, a deeper symbolism.

There is no fear in the world quite so harrowing as that of losing one's job. The deadly sense of failure to make good is worse than the loss of salary, no matter how important that may be. There is a horrible feeling that if one job is lost, others following may be lost—visions of down-and-outness are bound to ensue.

It is this fear, however, which keeps most of the work of the world mediocre. It is this fear which keeps people at low levels of success who should rise to high ones.

A woman who had recently been taken into a new firm as department head had an incompetent assistant whose discharge she was postponing partly because she did not wish to seem hasty about changes, partly because the girl was so extremely inefficient she was disturbed about her future.

An executive of longer standing told her she was making a grave mistake to hesitate a moment. The girl was incompetent either because she was in the wrong type of job, and success awaited her in a different one, or because she had not learned that work is work. In the latter case, the discharge might be the poignant lesson she needed.

What is a job, anyhow? Simply an opportunity for serving one's fellows. Viewed in this light, is losing one such opportunity any more serious than the child's lost place in the ear of corn?

The lost place is the one where one's work is no longer needed. But around the corner the true work waits in another row.

A JUVENILE LITERARY

A "Junior Corner" in the home library is described in Good Housekeeping by a mother who has arranged one for her children. It is furnished with a table and a tier of sectional bookcases. The children's books and magazines are there kept together. Each day as the parents read the paper they make clippings of articles which they think will appeal to the children and place them in a wire basket on the table. At the end of a month the children clear out the basket, throw away what they no longer want and file away in envelopes in the table drawer those they wish to keep. Current events are discussed by parents and children together.

This is undoubtedly a better way to provide news and literature for the children than to allow them to maul indiscriminately over the newspapers or the library shelves. This woman was led into starting her children's library by finding that they "were doing a great deal of promiscuous and haphazard reading that did not fit into any of the pigeonholes of their minds, because as yet they did not have discrimination enough to classify their information."

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BUSINESS DEMOCRACY

The dissolution of the complex aggregation of businesses called the "Meat Trust" is another step in the working out of democracy. It is the application of democracy to big business, in the field where autocracy remained most strongly entrenched and most threatening.

The packers agree to sell their

holdings in more than 750 concerns which they have owned in whole or in part. That gives some idea of the ramifications of the vast system they have built up. Their system has included, in recent years, not only all sorts of meat products but nearly all the common substitutes for those products, and nearly everything likely to find its way to the table. Such a monopoly is intolerable. If not abused at any particular time, it is always liable to abuse. The obvious thing was to break up the monopolistic system, and accordingly it is broken up, at least in form.

This is in line with the trend of the times. Democracy is demanded in business as in government. Freedom is wanted for the individual business man or firm as it is for the individual as a person and a voter. Many great business organizations have already been demolished for this purpose, and many more are likely to be. The Steel Trust persists, despite its size and its practical domination of the steel business, but one of these times it may go the way of the Oil Trust and the railroad combinations.

Perhaps such action is not final. Perhaps it is only an intermediate step in business evolution. The plainest tendency of the time is toward wider and larger organization in all kinds of business. It is a movement toward co-operation on an ever-increasing scale. Yet here we are, fighting that tendency and trying to restore old-time competition.

Many have held that trusts were formed in obedience to a natural economic law. They have been broken up because of an actual menace they held. The parts, however, keep regrouping themselves, somehow or other. In time of emergency the government itself takes hold and combines the railroads, the coal mines, the shipyards, etc., in a way it forbids private owners to do.

Now, with the war over, there is an effort to restore competition everywhere, by force if necessary. And it is proving to be a mighty difficult task in some fields. It is what the government has to do, however, unless it wants to tackle the democracy game from another angle, and set up some sort of state socialism, with all the business men in every industry free to compete on equal terms within strict limits, and all subject to government control outside of those limits.

A New Year's resolution for all the people! To let congress feel so strong a pressure of their will toward right and justice and an honorable adjustment of the affairs of this country as shall force it into action to bring speedy relief from the troubles with which the nation is beset.

Railroad Paradox
Fresno Republican

For once, President Wilson has yielded to congress to the extent of postponing the return of the railroads to their owners for two months, in order to give congress time to act. Simply to dump them back, as was threatened, would have bankrupted many of them immediately and most of them within a month. Also, it might have precipitated a nation-wide railroad strike this week. This thing of making railroads "private" is not so simple as it looks. They are not private and cannot be made so. Therefore, congress is given two months to find some way to make them profitably private while still keeping them safely public.

Several months congress has to muddle over. One is to fine some way to prevent strikes without prohibiting them. Another is to find some way of raising wages without increasing rates or decreasing profits or service. Another is to find some way of guaranteeing profits without cost to the government, and of limiting profits without hampering the railroads in borrowing money. It is necessary that the railroads secure huge sums of additional capital for betterments and extensions, if the increasing traffic is to move. The government does not want to furnish this capital, nor to permit the railroads to offer inducements which would entice them to get it themselves. A lot of small railroads are not profitable, but it is a public necessity that they be run. Some body must pay their losses. The government does not want to do it, nor to provide any fair way for the big railroads to do it. The thing to be gained by turning the railroads back is "competition." But just now enormous economies and efficiencies in service are being accomplished by consolidations. In California, for instance, the Santa Fe uses the Southern Pacific terminals, to the great advantage of everybody except the Southern Pacific, and the Western Pacific is run as a feeder to the Southern Pacific system, to the great advantage of everybody except the Western Pacific stockholders and the prospects of completing their road. All the combinations and consolidations are against the law. It is desired to continue them, without repealing the law which prohibits them, and to preserve the advantages of combination without losing the advantages of competition. Finally, it is desired to give the employees and the public that degree of control which they should have in railroads as a public institution, while preserving to those of their employees who function as if they were owners that degree of control which ought to belong to the owners of private institutions.

Naturally, the only way out of the whole paradox is government ownership. But since everybody is agreed not to try that, it is obviously desirable to give congress time to choose among the impossible alternatives. It will be muddled, whatever is done or not done.

Daily production of petroleum in California during November averaged 270,339 barrels.

Homeward Bound



Two Pictures

(Walla Walla Bulletin.)

It is said that the Apaches had five words for murder, not one for love.

A recent analysis of soviet literature is said to show ten words for destruction, only one for construction; six words for communism, only one for patriotism.

Bolshevism, according to linguistic analysis, yields many words meaning pain, agony, torment, fear, awe, sadness, hunger, tears, distress, misery, imprisonment, adversity, calamity, disaster, and death.

Bolshevistic writings also yield many words meaning bereavement, widow, orphan, doom, death, grave, and punishment.

We also find the following words abounding in soviet literature: evolt, masses, classes, scize, destroy, burn, demolish, blow up, and finally: "In the work of destruction we must be merciless."

Americanism abounds in such words as love, brotherhood, home, country, protection, sympathy, pity, fellow-feeling, compassion, charity, friend, country, God, progress, assistance, hope.

The conditions portrayed by words are as true to life as the negative is to that upon which the camera was focused. Take your choice.

Worth While Verses

SOME DAY.

Some day—and soon—I'll break these prison bars.
And solve the mysteries of those distant stars.
That pierce the liquid blackness of the night
With luring, haunting messages of light.

Some day the veil will lift and I will see
With vision clear. There'll dawn to me
That peopled world we ignorantly call space.
The loved and lost—I'll meet them face to face.

—Arthur J. Burdick.

The Conservancy Act

By Samuel Armor of Orange

Following are the closing paragraphs of a chapter on Soil, Climate and Water in the History of Orange County:

A number of citizens of San Bernardino, Riverside and Orange counties, realizing that more can be done towards conserving the winter flood waters of the Santa Ana river and preventing damage thereto, to riparian lands near the coast, undertook to form a conservancy district of the entire basin of the stream; but the "conservancy act of California" was found to be so defective that it is doubtful if anything can be done along that line without further legislation.

Following are some of the criticisms of the act: It is alleged that county money cannot be spent outside the county; but that allegation is not sustained by the analogy of municipalities. Cities spend their money outside their territory for water supply, protection against floods, sewers, parks and other things; witness how they are built by the "Savage Act" to build good roads in the rural districts.

However, there are more serious objections to the act than that allegation. The act seems to be a jumble of public and private corporation law. It provides for voting in person or by proxy, each voter to have as many votes as he has acres of land, like shares of stock in a private corporation; but it fixes other things: witness how they are built by the "Savage Act" to build good roads in the rural districts.

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I fret while waiting
for a train.
But this is most unwise
of me—
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as much
No matter where I
chance to be.
R. F. CANN.

Caught On First Bounce

By S. E. Greene

The inconvenience of the print paper famine has its compensations. It is so serious in Los Angeles that the big dailies have had to cut the size of their papers, had to print important world news in two inch paragraphs, and even had to abbreviate the rotten reports of the Harry New murder trial to only six or seven columns daily.

Barkow and Brookins is the name of the new firm that has started the Cotton Chronicle. Two B's ought to keep things buzzing there all right, especially as one of them is Carl Barkow, the hustling editor of the Highland Messenger. Would-be competitors who don't want to get stung should take notice.

Hermosa Beach threatens to build a large amusement auditorium at the entrance to her pleasure pier if visitors don't quit flocking down there in such numbers.

The Glendale News tells of a class of Sunday school boys who have selected "The Axe" as their class name. This is the first instance we have ever known where that word was popular with boys.

Redondo Beach has found that while she was voting bonds and drawing plans for the repair of her pleasure pier, the cost of the work went up to \$15,000. While she is voting bonds for the \$15,000 the cost of the work will probably take another \$15,000 jump. Looks like the only way to catch up with the price would be to vote about three times as much money as anyone thinks the work will require.

The Santa Paula Chronicle handed the school board of Fillmore a jolt the other day. The Fillmore board wrote to the Chronicle and other nearby papers, asking them to bid on the printing of the school manual there. Editor McPhee believes in keeping home trade at home, however, especially when the home business men can handle it, and he wrote the school board that he would not bid on the work as he had a first class printing office that was not only loyal to the town, but made reasonable charges for printing, and he advised them to give the home office the printing without quibbling over the technical bids that the law calls for.

A guinea pig that had its nest underneath a pair of scales at Redwood City made the scales weigh strong and the owner was arrested and fined for false weighing. We have heard of two-legged hogs that caused scales to weigh under weight but never before heard of a guinea pig doing it.

At the risk of causing a big drop in the price of eggs and poultry, we will mention that the largest electric hatchery in the world is now in operation at Norwalk.

Long Beach has voted out boxing exhibitions, and the few dozen pugs down there think the other 50,000 or 60,000 people of the town are all crazy.

Santa Barbara county has nearly \$200,000 in her treasury, says the Morning Press. If she doesn't want to buy more than \$200,000 or \$400,000 worth of stuff with it, that ought to do her very nicely.

Occidental College has a freak student who is smarter at thirteen years of age than most people are at thirty. He laps up learning just like a pup does milk. His folks had to hold him back to keep him from entering college at eleven years of age instead of thirteen. In a way it's interesting to read about such marvels, but we've always felt just a little more comfortable without one in the family. We'd rather have just old fashioned kids, that study if they have to and get out of it if they can. They may start slower, but we believe they'll get farther.

San Bernardino county will vote next May on the issuance of a quarter of a million dollars in bonds to build half a court house. The other half has been built for years.

The club women of Monrovia worked at scrubbing, washing, selling junk and other kinds of menial labor to earn money to pay the debt on their club house. Some men might hoot at them for it and say the women wouldn't do that kind of work except for some ethereal motive like a new club house. But bless your heart, old man, your own wife works just like that every day and harder, for you, for only her keep. As she could earn more than that at most anything else, what do you call that but an ethereal motive? Didn't know before that you were an ethereal motive, did you? Most men don't look like one, sure.

NOTICE TO AUTO OWNERS

On and after January 1, cars entering in the evening and remaining until after midnight will be charged 25 cents for parking before midnight, 15 cents after. All parking charges to be paid when cars enter yard.

CENTRAL AUTO PARK
Third and Bush.

1920 CENTENNIAL OF MANY EVENTS

The year 1920 will be the centennial of the following events:
The discovery of quinine.
The death of Daniel Boone.
The invention of percussion-caps.
The incorporation of Jersey City.
The invention of friction matches.
The admission of Maine to the Union.

The invention of the daguerreotype.

The Spanish revolution under Riego.

The accession of George IV. of England.

The celebrated trial of Queen Caroline.

The passage of the Missouri Compromise Bill.

The election of James Monroe to the Presidency.

The first appearance in America of Edmund Kean.

The introduction of India-rubber steels.

The beginning of steam navigation on Lake Michigan.

The dedication of the first Protestant Church in Detroit.

The organization of the General Synod of the Lutheran church.

The first appearance of anthracite coal as an article of commerce.

The establishment of the Roman Catholic diocese of Charleston, S. C.

The organization of the first Congressional Committee on Agriculture.

The completion of the great National road from Cumberland, Md., to Wheeling.

The



Society

Clubs—Lodges—Churches

Jolly Day for Children
Miss Lillian Dowell, of 319 East Pine street, entertained her former Sunday school class of the Tustin Presbyterian church on Monday afternoon, with music and games.

They were taken to the West End theatre to see Norma Talmadge. On returning home, a school lunch was served on the lawn, after which they returned home happier for their association together.

Those attending were: Lovene Sauer, Nellie Ware, Elizabeth McDougal, Eileen Youngs, and their class teacher, Miss Lillian Martin.

Centenary Meeting Last Night
A highly successful group meeting of Orange County Methodists in the Centenary campaign was held at the First Methodist church here last evening, opening with a dinner, and with an attendance of one hundred and forty people from all communities of the country.

After the meal the gathering was addressed by Rev. Lincoln A. Ferris of San Diego, who spoke on the vision and possibilities of the task, which is to win a million souls to the church during 1920. Rev. Ferris pointed out that there are 1,800,000 people over 9 years of age in the Sunday schools who are not church members and more than a million non-church members identified with the Epworth League.

After this gathering, Rev. Ferris also addressed a larger public meeting in the auditorium of the church on various features of the Centenary campaign and the consecration necessary for those who will be engaged in carrying it through.

Pleasant Dinner Party.
The home of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Wiessemann, 2020 North Main street, was the scene last evening of a gay dinner party given in honor of the A. N. Cox family and Percy Richards, the latter having recently returned from four years' service in the English army. Mr. Richards brought his mother from England when he returned to America and she, also, was an honor guest last evening of the Wiessemann family.

Music and social conversation served to make the evening one of supreme enjoyment for the following. Mrs. Richards, Percy Richards, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Cox and children, Vivian, Minor, Edwin and Anita, and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Wiessemann, and their family.

Ebell Music Section Entertains.
About thirty inmates of the county hospital were made happy yesterday afternoon when eighteen members of the music section of the Ebell Society gave their annual entertainment in the auditorium of the hospital.

Little Evelyn Sherrill gave some very pretty dances, while Jack Langley played on the violin, this being one of the most enjoyed features of the program.

Community singing, led by Mrs. H. M. Sammis, opening the following program:

Violin Solo Jack Langley
Vocal Solo Mrs. Mit Phillips
Reading Mrs. John Clark
Vocal Solo Mrs. H. M. Sammis
Indian Dance Evelyn Sherrill
(Accompanied by Miss Leonora Thompson on the piano.)
Reading Mrs. Clark
Piano Solo, Miss Leonora Thompson
Vocal Duet—“Johnnie Smoker”

..... Mr. and Mrs. Mit Phillips
After the above program, together with the many encores called for, had been given, community singing closed what was one of the best entertainments ever given for the enjoyment of the patients of the hospital.

Those who were unable to leave their rooms to go to the auditorium, were delightfully entertained with dances by little Evelyn Sherrill and violin music by Jack Langley.

Dainty After-Theater Supper.

A dainty after-theater supper was given in the Grey Room at James' recently, at which table appointments were carried out in Christmas colors by the use of holly. A miniature Christmas tree occupied the center of the table, giving a very pretty effect.

Covers were laid for Mrs. Charles Schultz and Misses Eunice Jones, Holly Dale, Eleanor Sturgeon, Rena Cranston, Stella Anderson, Helen Phillips, Helen Von Ailmen and Nellie Irvine.

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Enjoys Christmas Celebration.
The hosts of friends of Miss Lottie Palmer will be pleased to know that she was able to enjoy Christmas with relatives, whom she entertained during the day.

Miss Palmer enjoyed an eight o'clock Christmas breakfast with

covers laid for ten, being the first time she had been out of bed for the morning meal since last June, when she underwent a serious operation.

The table was centered with a miniature Christmas tree, trimmed and lighted, and gifts were piled at each cover and about the chairs.

Another group of twelve relatives enjoyed a delightful Christmas dinner with Miss Palmer and Mrs. Lena Hewitt.

Dinner for Masonic Officers

Officers of the Santa Ana Council, No. 14, of the Masonic Lodge were most enjoyably entertained by H. C. Kellogg at his home, 122 Orange avenue, last evening with a delicious turkey dinner.

It being such a short time after Christmas, the choice of the cheerful colors, red and green, was made and effectively carried out by the use of red bells, poinsettias and flaming red roses for the table. Nut bowls were also in red, and the refreshments also featured the Yule tide colors. The only hint of the approach of New Year, in any of the table appointments, was the place cards which were babies painted in the act of writing resolutions to correspond with the characteristics of each of the guests at the dinner. These caused much merriment.

Whist was the diversion of the evening, four tables being utilized, to seat the following: W. D. Duggan, W. W. Clevenger, Capt. J. H. Hall, E. B. Smith, W. V. Whitson, L. M. Halladay, E. Bowers, A. H. Pease, Max Reinhaus, Julius Reinhaus, Geo. Robinson, F. C. Rowland and the host, H. C. Kellogg.

Mr. Kellogg's two daughters, Misses Helen and Rose, assisted by his two sons, Harold and Francis, helped with the serving and to make the evening very pleasant for the guests.

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Miss Alice Frebreg yesterday left for Los Angeles and Alhambra for an extended visit, after which she will go to her home in Underwood, N. D. Miss Frebreg has been spending the last several months with Miss Josephine Grochow of 1416 East Fruit street. Miss Frebreg regretted the necessity of going home for the remainder of the winter.

Dr. and Mrs. C. E. Kellogg, 432 South Broadway, have for their guests over the week-end, Mrs. Kellogg's sister, Mrs. Mary Anderson of Canyon Drive, Hollywood. Mr. and Mrs. Edward Smith and little son, Gerald, of Fresno, and Miss Eliza Zanack of Eagle Rock.

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COURTHOUSE NEWS

DEFER EXAMINATION ON PRETENSE CHARGE

Upon motion of Deputy District Attorney W. F. Menton, who stated that the prosecution desired to make a further investigation, the preliminary hearing of Frank G. Bond and his wife, Hester Bond, who were charged with obtaining money under false pretenses, was continued until January 12, at 2 o'clock. The complaint, which was sworn to by Laura B. Rish, set forth that the defendants, through alleged false representations, prevailed upon her to advance them \$100, pending the purchase by them of certain of her property at Anaheim. Bond's bail was reduced from \$1000 to \$500. His wife was released on \$500 bail several weeks ago, following her arraignment. O. T. Caillor, of the firm of Tipton & Caillor of Anaheim, is attorney for the defendants.

DISMISSAL ENTERED IN SUIT OVER \$5000

Indicating a settlement out of court of what was apparently a singular court action in that it involved the fact that no security had been given for a \$5000 loan, dismissal was on file in superior court to day of a suit instituted by Mrs. Alme Hinze, of 701 South Rose street, against G. H. Bunting, Santa Ana contractor and his wife Lizzie Bunting. It being an attachment case, the pleadings were kept secret until the filing of the dismissal. It was set forth in the complaint that on April 15, last, Mr. and Mrs. Bunting borrowed \$5000 from the plaintiff. It was alleged that no part of the interest or principal of this sum had been paid up to the time of the filing of the action, on August 8. Head and Rutan were attorneys for Mrs. Hinze, while Bishop and Wellington represented the defendants.

BOYNTON, EELS PLAN PAINTING BUSINESS

Arthur Eels, who will leave his position as assistant county jailer on January 1, today announced that he plans to go into a partnership with E. W. Boynton, until recently on the city police force, in the house painting business. Both Eels and Boynton are painters by trade. Eels will be succeeded as assistant jailer by Dunlap Wilson.

HORSES WITH SORES WORKED, IS CHARGE

H. E. Johnson today swore to a complaint charging M. Seanes with cruelty to animals. The defendant was accused of working a team of horses when they had sores on their shoulders and of failure to give the animals proper care and treatment. It was set forth in the complaint that the horses were in the care and custody of Seanes as the lessee of Johnson.

THEATER MAN BRINGS DISTURBANCE CHARGE

Declaring that a number of boys who were present at last night's performance at the Temple theater indulged in boisterous conduct, and that one of them threw a piece of an apple and struck one of the women in the audience, L. A. Schlesinger, manager of the theater, today swore to a complaint against eight boys, charging them with disturbing the peace. Subpoenas were to be issued today for the following witnesses: Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Schlesinger, Ralph Harmon, Francis Selway, James Merigold, H. Gregory and Officers Jack Combs and Joe Ryan.

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THE MARKETS

CITRUS AUCTION SALES

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Twenty-two cars of oranges, ten cars of Valencia and two cars of lemons sold. Naval oranges were highest on the market, stock in spots on choice stock. Valencia market is easier. Lemon market is doing better. Weather fair.

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DAILY MARKET REPORT

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BUTTER—Creamery, extras. Produce closing price, 65¢ per lb.

EGGS—Fresh extras. Produce E- change closing price, 55¢ per dozen; caseous, 58¢ per dozen; pullets, 56¢ per dozen.

APPLES—Four-tier Bel- feurs, \$1.85@2.00, loose, 4@4½c per lb.; White Bel feurs, \$2.25@2.50, loose, 5@5c; Baldwin, 5@5c; Newton Pippins, 4@5c; Northern Jonathans, fancy, \$3.00@3.10, loose, 5@7c per lb.; Delicious, boxes, 3.50@4.00; Ben Davis, 3@3.50c; Pippins, 5c; Glean Seedlings, \$2.25@2.75 box.

BANANAS—Per lb., 8@8½c; overripe, 8c.

BEETS—Per dozen, 45@50c.

CAULIFLOWER—Per dozen bunches, 35@40c.

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Resolutions For New Year Too Easily Broken, Say Many Local People

Alas, the strength of humankind is seldom to be trusted: Soon after New Year we will find Our resolutions busted.

It is an easy thing to swear, And seem not to remember What we resolved for the New Year The last day of December.

It seems that Santa Anans, at least a majority of those who were interviewed on the subject, are unanimous as to one New Year's resolution they will make.

It is this: That they will resolve not to make any.

Most of those who were asked for expressions of opinion relative to New Year's resolutions declared experience had taught them the apparent futility of resolving to do or not to do, a certain thing, when it is almost a foregone conclusion that before many days will have passed the resolution will have been conveniently forgotten.

In this connection it was pointed out that it might be interesting to know how deeply psychology enters into the subject of New Year's resolutions. Perhaps the current of an enterprise of such "great pith and moment" as making a New Year's resolution is turned away with the regard of conscience, that strange thing, or quality, which Shakespeare said makes "cowards of us all."

Old Leaves Easier

Perhaps "the native hue of resolution" would not be "sicklied o'er with the pale cast of thought" were it not that a majority of those who consider the possibility of turning over a new leaf have learned in the past that it is far easier and more pleasant to revert to the old leaves, with their familiar types, than to browse among unknown, and irksome, pages.

However, if all these factors work against the making of actual, concrete resolutions, still the very fact that a rosy and chubby young chap called Nineteen Twenty is about to arrive on the scene and put to rout a dithering old man named Nineteen Nineteen, is significant of new opportunities opening for mankind the world over. Chances are offered for leading better lives, for being kinder to others and, as Rev. W. L. H. Benton put it, to try, without any elaborate display of pyrotechnics, "to make the new year better."

In short, when a new year makes its appearance, it indicates that what has been disagreeable in our lives during the past twelve months is definitely behind us, and an attempt, however slight, toward making changes for the better during the coming twelve months, is commendable.

Break 'Em—Why Make 'Em?

Mrs. Robert G. Harris said, "I never make New Year's resolutions. I know I never keep them, so I never make any."

Mrs. F. L. Austin, when asked for an expression on New Year's resolutions, said, "I never make them, because I know I'll break them."

Mrs. N. A. Beals said, "I don't make them any more—principally, I think, because I know I will break them."

Rev. W. L. H. Benton: "New Year's resolutions are too easily broken. I haven't made any for years—except that I always resolve to try and make the new year better."

Mrs. Charles Bevis said, "I think it is a good idea to consider carefully what resolutions one does make, and not to make too many, in order that we may keep them."

L. W. Briggs said, "I have concluded not to make any this year."

Mrs. C. R. Browning said, "The one topic of conversation, almost, between my husband and myself recently has been about getting our automobile painted. So we have concluded to resolve, for the New Year, that both of us are to get bus and help one another paint the car."

Mrs. Fanny H. Collings said, "I never make New Year's resolutions, and never think about them."

Miss Hazel Colum said, "I had

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INFANTRY BAND, ARMY TRUCKS, COMING HERE FOR 3 DAYS

Recruiting Party of 33 Men Due Jan. 13, With Five Instruction Displays

A party of thirty-three officers and enlisted men, including the twenty-piece band of the Thirty-second infantry and five exhibit trucks, is coming to Santa Ana January 13 for a three days' stay, to show the public just what the army is doing in educational and vocational training and to enlist recruits. Each day while here the band will give an open air concert afternoon and evening.

This was the official announcement received by the Register today from Barney L. Meeden, first Lieutenant, Q. M. C., from Camp Kearny, who will be a member of the party. The instruction display and recruiting party will leave Camp Kearny on January 5 and are due here on January 13. The complete party, it is announced, will consist of:

1st Lieut. E. Lewis Field, 32nd Inf.

2nd Lieut. Pembroke A. Brawner, 32nd Inf.

1st Lieut. Barney L. Meeden, Q. M. C.

20 Enlisted men, band 32nd Inf.

5 enlisted men, construction div., Q. M. C.

5 enlisted men, motor transport corps.

The display trucks will consist of:

Good Electrical Display

No. 1 Truck will consist of an electrical display. On this truck is shown every fitting used in wiring work, a complete night display, with a flashing electric sign, and from this truck the entire display can be illuminated at night furnishing light for the night band concert.

No. 2 Truck will consist of a display of the carpenter and plumbing shop, Construction Division. On it is shown a complete model California bungalow, built by the enlisted carpenters of that department, and a display board showing every tool used in the plumbing work.

No. 3 Truck will show a model crushing plant, representing the growth of the road department of the Construction Division. This model is a working model and can be operated, showing the crusher, screens, bins, etc., of a large plant. On this truck is also a display of powder and blasting devices used in the quarry to obtain the rock to crush.

No. 4 Truck is display of the blacksmithing and horseshoeing department, showing a complete blacksmith shop, tool display boards and equipment made in the shop. A small tractor and plow are shown made by the enlisted blacksmiths.

No. 5 Truck carrying machine guns, automatic rifles, one pound guns, smokeless mortar and ammunition, arms used by the infantry "Queen of Battles" and the backbone of all armies.

Other transportation will be:

1 Dodge touring car.

2 large staff observation cars.

1 patrol wagon.

BIG ROAD BUILDING PROGRAM FOR STATE

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 30.—At a meeting of the California Olive Growers' Association yesterday afternoon in the Higgins building, the following board of directors was elected: W. A. Gillersen, B. M. Eastman of San Francisco; B. B. Meek, George Wolff of Oroville; Frank Simonds and Allan Cutler, of Los Angeles; and J. V. E. Titus of Riverside, with Frank Simons as president and J. J. Hoey, secretary. The association, which has heretofore been purely a voluntary affair, has recently filed articles of incorporation and is now ready to start on a national advertising campaign along educational lines, instructing the people as to the food qualities and value of olive products.

State boards are to be kept closely advised on all subjects pertaining to the different methods in which the product is used.

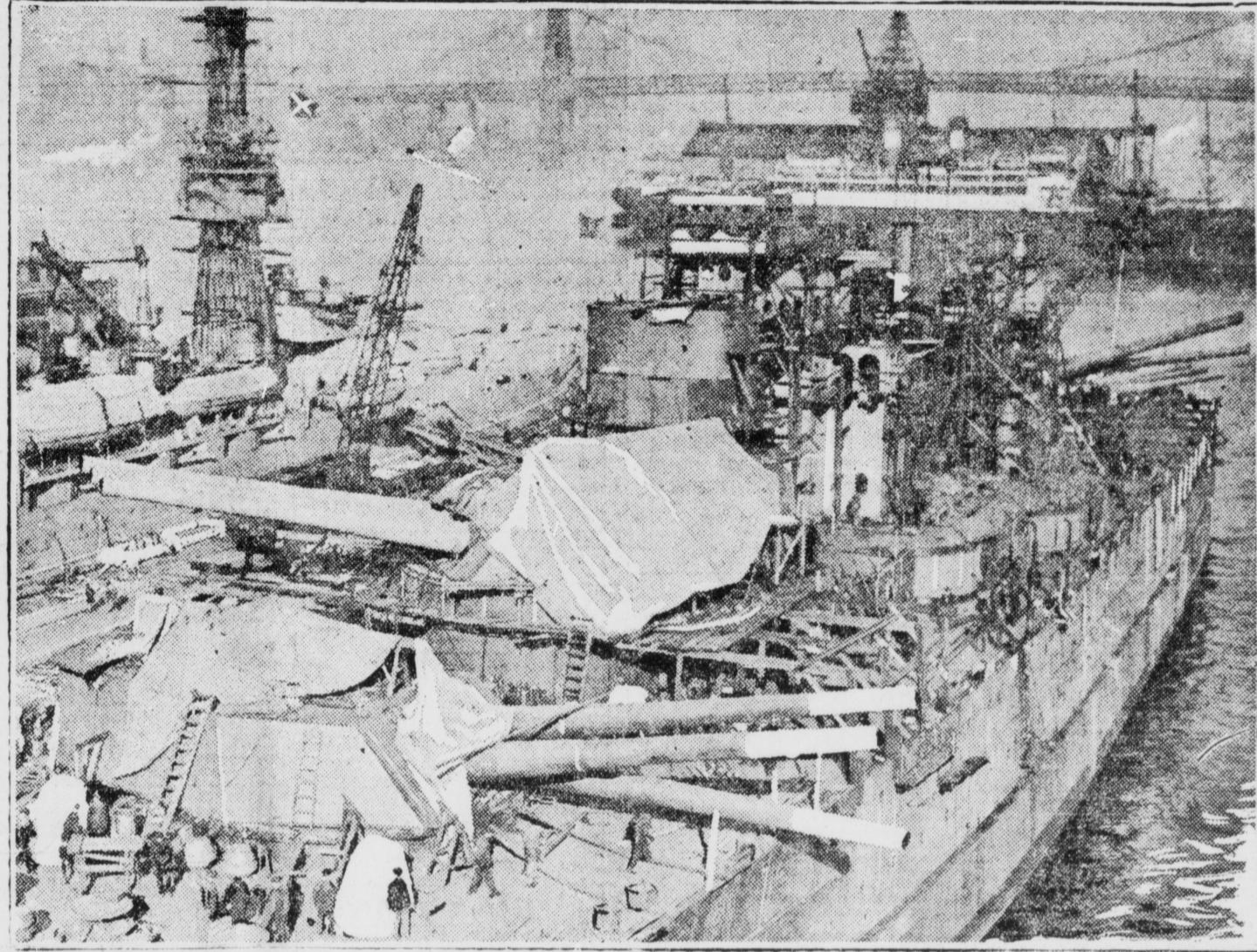
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ONE KILLED, EIGHT HURT IN LABOR RIOT

HAVANA, Dec. 29.—One man was killed and one mortally wounded and seven, including one woman and two policemen, wounded in union labor riots yesterday afternoon. The laborites were attempting without permit to parade in demonstrations against high rents and the high cost of living generally. The clash came when the demonstrators refused to obey the police order to disperse. For the purpose of preventing further disorders the government has ordered the union headquarters closed.

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PROSPERITY SHOWN AS BANKS ENLARGE AMOUNT OF CAPITAL

ELKS, GREAT JINKS IS MUCH ENJOYED BY RECORD CROWD

Indicative of the tremendous growth of Orange county commercial activity, a certificate was on file with the county clerk today setting forth that the Security Savings Bank of Orange had voted to increase its capital stock from \$25,000 to \$50,000.

The certificate on file today was one of several filed during the past several months by various banks in the county, showing increases in the amount of capital stock.

The Orange bank voted on September 30 to increase its capital stock, the certificate set forth. The \$50,000 is divided into 250 shares of a par value of \$100 each, it was stated.

The stockholders at the meeting were George R. Boyer, E. W. Bo'ning, D. F. Campbell, W. F. Crib, Minerva J. Flippin, W. D. Granger, C. F. Newton, Emily E. Spotts, J. F. Spotts and George C. Woods.

"BRING YOUR OWN" IS ADVICE TO REVELERS

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Dec. 30.—"Bring your own," is the advice of hotel and cafe owners of Milwaukee to patrons reserving tables for special New Year's eve celebrations tomorrow. This advice pertains to private stocks of liquors, wines and beers. Cellars are reported well-filled and guarded and every assurance is given that the advice will be heeded. Those not so fortunate will content themselves with candy and soft drinks, ice cream and sherbets. Ice cream manufacturers are manufacturing large reserve supplies to take care of the holiday trade.

FRENCH TAKE STEPS TO PREVENT THEFTS

PARIS, Dec. 29.—The recent fire in the old royal palace at Compiègne has caused the Department of Fine Arts to take precautions against further fires or thefts in France's State palaces. Many locks are being placed on the doors of the Compiègne palace.

Reservoirs and tanks have been built on heights near the Versailles palaces to guard against fire.

New precautions against robbery were taken at the Louvre, since the recent theft of a necklace. The interior courts will be kept lighted continuously. Dogs will be put into service to accompany the guards in their tours of inspection.

FINDS \$5,500 IN MUD, IS SENT \$500 REWARD

CHARLESTON, Ill., Dec. 30.—John Pritchard, a railroad employee, found \$5,500 in a mud hole along a street in Frankfort, near here. One check indicated the owner to be an Eastern capitalist, who lost the money while motoring through Frankfort. Pritchard communicated with the man, returned the sum and received \$500 reward for his honesty.

Turkey dinner will be served New Year's Day at Huntington Inn, Huntington Beach. \$1.00 per plate.

Great Craft Will Travel 21 Knots Per Hour; Has Thirty Guns

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—Another great superdreadnaught is about ready for service in the United States navy. It is the Tennessee which is about completed in the Brooklyn Navy Yard, where she was built.

The Tennessee, which was launched on April 30, 1919, will be one of the largest and most powerful battleships afloat. She is 624 feet long and 97 feet wide at her widest part.

Her displacement will be about 32,000 tons with a horsepower of 20,000 and a speed of 21 knots per hour. The ship will be oil burning and electrically driven.

Armament of the Tennessee will consist of 12 14-inch guns, 14 5-inch guns and 4 6-pounds in addition to torpedo tubes. The crew necessary to man the great fighting craft will consist of fifty-eight officers and 1,024 men.

During the evening more than a hundred books of selected poetry by Mrs. Edith Grensted Rochester, "From Star to Star," and dedicated to her son, Nathaniel Rochester, who fell in the Argonne forest with the "Lost Battalion," were sold.

Half of the proceeds go into the Elks' memorial bell fund and half go to the fund which is to provide a Nat Rochester memorial in the Episcopal church here.

FINE CAMP GROUND ON SHORE OF LAKE

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 29.—A public camp ground, fronting directly on the shores of Lake Tahoe, and including such conveniences as boating and bathing piers, attractive free campsites with rustic tables and benches, pure water piped from a nearby mountain stream and a modern comfort station is now assured, according to L. A. Barrett, Assistant District Forester here.

"The area, which has just been made available through the generosity of former Congressman Wm. Kent of Kentfield, Cal., is one of the most attractive pieces of shore property to be found on Lake Tahoe," says Barrett.

"Originally a part of Mr. Kent's summer residence property, it has been donated to the Forest Service with the definite understanding that it be developed as, and devoted exclusively to, public camp ground purposes," he continued. In accordance with that agreement, and under plans as developed by a competent landscape and recreation engineer, the Tahoe Public Camp ground, as it has been named, will be improved at once.

"In fact approximately \$100,000 has already been spent in clearing out the underbrush, getting rid of down logs, etc. During May and June, it is planned to install a domestic water supply system. The water will be piped from Ward Creek, a little mountain stream nearly a mile distant. As rapidly as possible piers for bathing and boating, secondary roads and trails, tables, benches, and fireplaces will be built."

The entire camp ground will be fenced, so that campers will be unmolested by loose stock, according to forestry officials, and a children's playground, to be located on a portion of the shore frontage, will be featured. The Forest Service plans to station a ranger directly on the property—a man whose sole duty will be to look after the wants and conveniences of the visiting public.

The area is two miles south of Tahoe Tavern, on the west shore of the lake, and is directly on the highway.

SPOUTING WHALE IS SEEN CAVORTING IN NEWPORT VICINITY

Regular spouting whales have been disporting themselves at Newport Beach in the past few days, according to Santa Ana people—and they have not been drinking Christmassy "toddies," either.

According to a well known local man, who was at the beach Sunday, he saw a big monster come up near the Newport pier on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Buchanan and Mr. and Mrs. Avery Graham of Newport saw the monster one day last week while they were boating on the ocean.

ROYALTY HELPS WRITE GREAT BIBLE BY HAND

LONDON, Dec. 30.—What is said to be the world's largest Bible now is being written by hand by leading men and women of the United Kingdom. Among those who are participating in the work are King George, Queen Mary, the Prince of Wales and the cabinet ministers.

The book will contain the complete text of the authorized version from Genesis to Revelations, and there is space in it for 12,000 handwritten contributions. It will be five feet two inches high, and three feet six inches wide.

This book will be exhibited in various places, the idea being to attract support to the Bible crusade in 1921.

YONKERS, N. Y., Dec. 30.—Pauline Hall, long noted as a light opera singer, is dead at her home here of pneumonia. She was on the stage for more than forty years.

Miss Hall was born in Cincinnati nine years ago, her maiden name being Pauline Fredericka Schmidt-gall. At 15 she made her first appearance on the stage as a ballet dancer.

PAULINE HALL, NOTED STAGE STAR IS DEAD

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